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With regard to German Utility Model DE 298 00 652 UI, the Applicant's U.S. counsel offers the following based upon correspondence from Applicant's European counsel:

German utility model DE 298 00 652 U1 discloses a remote control toy car (figures 3 and 4) and a remote control toy ship (figures 5 and 6). Figures 1 and 2 show a two-channel receiver module 1 with two mechanical coupling elements 6 and 9 for being mechanically coupled to corresponding mechanical coupling elements 13 and 14, respectively, in the toy car and in the toy ship. The receiver module 1 has a rechargeable battery 10.

The coupling element 9 of the receiver module is driven by a driving motor 7 for driving the driving wheels 17 of the toy car and for driving the propeller 17 of the toy ship, when the coupling element 9 of the receiver module is coupled to the coupling element 14 of the toy ship (figure 6) or of the toy car (figure 4).

The coupling element 6 of the receiver module is driven by a servo motor 4 for controlling the steering wheels 18 of the toy car and the rudder 18 of the toy ship, when the coupling element 6 of the receiver module is coupled to the coupling element 13 of the toy ship (figure 6) or of the toy car (figure 4).

The two-channel receiver module 1 thus has two mechanical outputs and no electrical outputs.

An early examination and allowance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

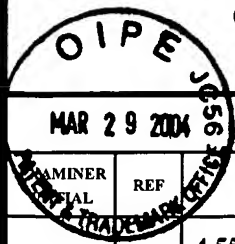


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